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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

Extension	on fee for response within first month:	
()	By a small entity (§1.9(f))	\$ 55.00
()	By other than a small entity	\$ 110.00
	on fee for response within second month:	
()	By a small entity (§1.9(f))	\$ 215.00
(X)	By other than a small entity	\$ 430.00
Extension	on fee for response within third month:	
()	By a small entity (§1.9(f))	\$ 490.00
	By other than a small entity	\$ 980.00
Extension	on fee for response within fourth month:	
()	By a small entity (§1.9(f))	\$ 765.00
()	By other than a s mall entity	\$1,530.00
Extension	on fee for response within fifth month:	
()	By a small entity (§1.9(f))	\$1,040.00
()	By other than a small entity	\$2,080.00
(X)	A check in the amount of \$430.00 is enclosed.	

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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